# Jefferson County, IN Highlights

## Commuting

In Indiana, most workers commute to a job, either within their home county or beyond. Patterns of commuting are significant in showing the labor supply. The county *labor force* represents workers who reside in the county no matter where they work. Two types of commuting patterns are provided here - the Census 2000 *benchmark* and the annual data tabulated from state income tax returns that can help provide a more current view.
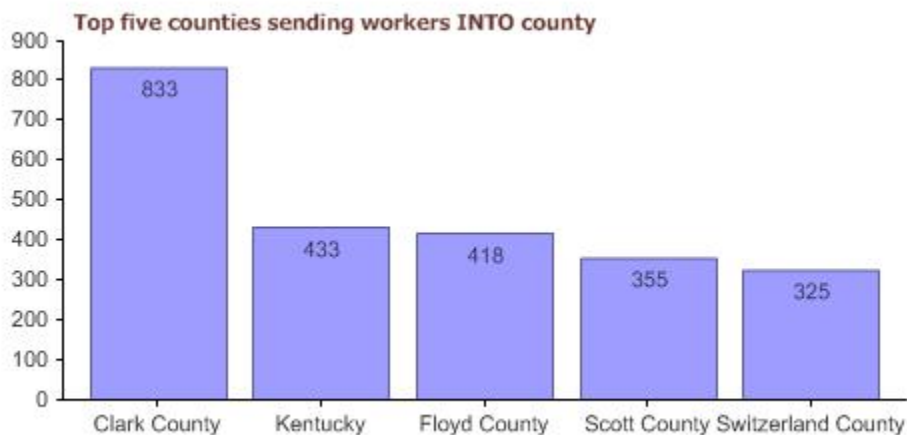
### Commuting Data, 2007

|  | Number |
|---|---|
| Number of tax filers who live in county and work | 21,602 |
| Number of tax filers who work in the county | 21,927 |
| Number of tax filers who live in county and work in county | 18,268 |
| Number of tax filers who live out of the county and work in county | 3,659 |

Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

### Commuting Patterns: Top five counties sending workers INTO county, 2007

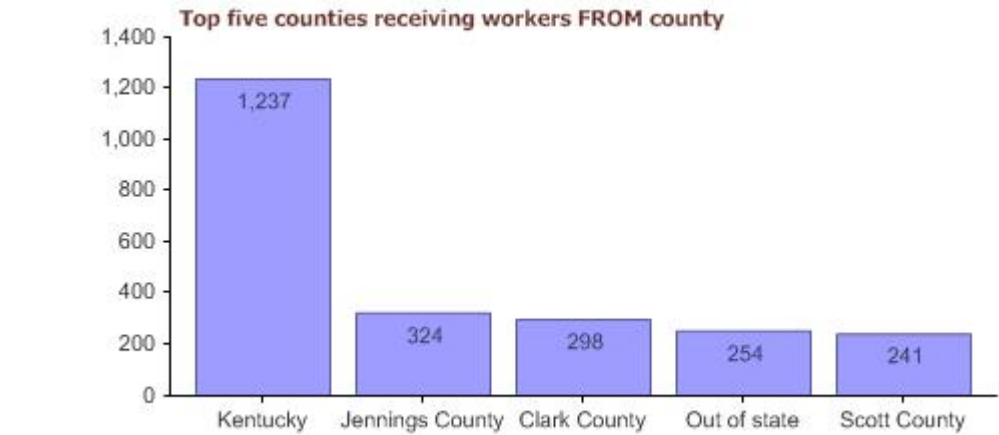| County | Number | Pct. Five County Total |
|---|---|---|
| Clark County | 833 | 35.2% |
| Kentucky | 433 | 18.3% |
| Floyd County | 418 | 17.7% |
| Scott County | 355 | 15.0% |
| Switzerland County | 325 | 13.7% |



Source: Indiana Department of Revenue

### Commuting Patterns: Top five counties receiving workers FROM county, 2007

| County | Number | Pct. Five County Total |
|---|---|---|
| Kentucky | 1,237 | 52.5% |
| Jennings County | 324 | 13.8% |
| Clark County | 298 | 12.7% |

| Out of state | 254 | 10.8% |
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| Scott County | 241 | 10.2% |

**Top five counties receiving workers FROM county**



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## Travel To Work in 2000

| | Number | Pct. Dist |
|---|---|---|
| **Total Workers Age 16 and Over** | 15,032 | 100.0% |
| Travel To Work | 14,663 | 97.5% |
| Car, Truck, or Van | 13,801 | 91.8% |
| Traveled Alone | 12,210 | 81.2% |
| Carpooled | 1,591 | 10.6% |
| Used Public Transportation | 89 | 0.6% |
| Motorcycle, Bicycle, Walked, Other | 773 | 5.1% |
| Worked At Home | 369 | 2.5% |
| **Average Travel Time (Minutes)** | 21.9 | |
| **Average Travel Time using Public Transportation (Minutes)** | 13.1 | |

Source: US Census Bureau